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#### 59th Test and Evaluation Squadron

# Resampling Statistics for the F-22A Lot 5 Suitability Analysis



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### **59<sup>th</sup> TES Operations**



- ❖ 59<sup>th</sup> TES in conjunction with 422<sup>nd</sup> TES
  - Perform Operational Test & Evaluation (OT&E)
  - Tactics Development
  - Fielding Recommendations
- Weapon Systems
  - > A-10, F-15C, F-15E, F-16, F-22A, HH-60







- Explain the problem
- Demonstrate the Resampling Technique
  - Construct the Cumulative Distribution Function (CDF)
  - Build a Confidence Interval
  - Calculate Power/Consumer Risk
- Demonstrate application tool used for the suitability analysis



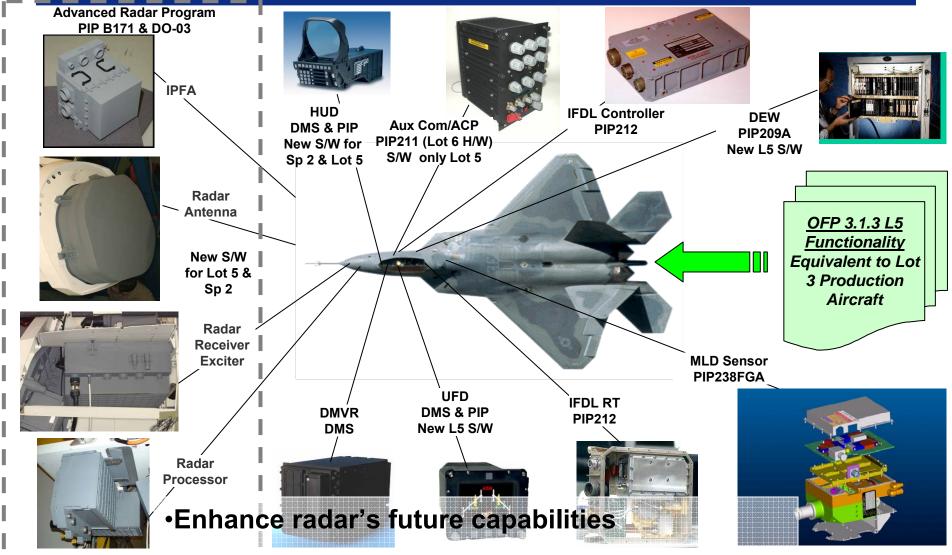


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- **\*Conclusion**



#### Test Problem: Lot 5 System Description





New contractor building "same" parts



### Test Problem: F-22A Lot 5 Suitability Analysis



- Test's Purpose: To compare currently fielded aircraft suitability results to Lot 5 aircraft.
  - Operational Utility Evaluation (OUE): compare effectiveness and suitability between F-22A Lot 5 aircraft (new data set) and currently fielded F-22A aircraft (baseline data set)
  - Suitability goal: evaluate Lot 5 hardware updates only
  - Suitability structure: compare data using Reliability, Maintainability and Availability (RM&A).



### Test Problem: F-22A Lot 5 Suitability Analysis



- Analyst's Challenge: How to compare current suitability results to new Lot 5 suitability measures?
  - Baseline data (currently fielded aircraft) includes 758 flight hours. Lot 5 test has shorter timeline requirements.
  - ➤ The test requires a minimum 70% power / 30% consumer risk in detecting at least a doubling (twice as bad) in any suitability measure.
  - The new test consists of 200 flight hours





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- Operational suitability: the degree to which a system can be satisfactorily placed into fielded use
  - reliability, maintainability, availability (RM&A)
- Availability: affected by reliability and maintainability
- Other considerations: compatibility, transportability, wartime usage rates, safety, human factors, manpower supportability, logistics supportability, documentation, training requirements, and natural environmental effects and impacts





- Reliability: the probability of a system to perform its function [3]
  - Time-continuous: operate the system until it fails, fix it and continue to operate. Process repeats until enough information is collected
  - Success/Fail: test the system and record successes and failures
- Maintainability: the ability of an item to be retained in, or restored to, a specified conditions when maintenance is performed (AFI 10-602)
  - Average time between maintenance activity
  - Cumulative maintenance time divided by flying hours
- Availability: the probability that a system will be in an operable state at a random point in time [3]
  - Operational time divided by the total time



# Background: Suitability Analysis



- Reliability, Maintainability and Availability Evaluation
  - New Lot 5 hardware data collection only
  - Test scoring data Measures of Performance (MOP):
    - ✓ Break rate
    - Mean time between critical failure (MTBCF)
    - Could not duplicate rate
    - ✓ Maintenance man hours perforain Flinghur Hours
    - ✓ 2/4/8 hour fix rate Number of Critical Failures
    - Abort rate
    - Mean time between maintenance
    - Weapons system reliability
    - Integrated diagnostics accuracy
    - Mean down time
    - Mean repair time



#### What is Resampling?

- Mechanism used to produce a hypothetical distribution by randomly taking samples from an observed distribution or baseline distribution
- Essentially: Monte Carlo simulation of statistical results
- Basic Rules:
  - 1. Specify the universe to sample from
    - observed data set or baseline data set
  - 2. Specify the sampling procedure
    - number of samples
    - sizes of samples
    - sampling with or without replacement
  - 3. Specify the statistic you wish to keep track of
    - ✓ ratio, mean, variance, etc.



#### Advantages

- Simple to use and teach
- Avoids using the wrong method
- Knowledge of distribution not needed
- Free of mathematical formulas and restrictive assumptions

#### Disadvantages

- > Requires empirical data
- Sample size can be a problem if the baseline data is limited





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### Test Objective: F-22A Lot 5 Suitability Analysis



- Assess operational effectiveness of new Lot 5 hardware
- Compare Lot 5 hardware and equivalent hardware for currently fielded aircraft <u>suitability</u>
  - Report results outside a 90% confidence bound as significantly different
  - ➤ If not significantly different, report power/consumer risk
  - The formal hypothesis for each MOP for this approach is as follows:

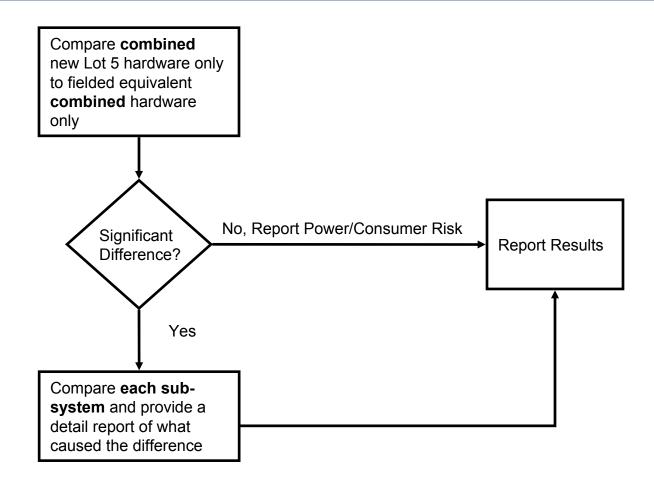
 $H_a$ : Lot 5 MOP  $\geq$  FDE MOP

 $H_{\perp}$ : Lot 5 MOP < FDE MOP ( $\alpha = .1$ )

\*\* Note: hypothesis assumes that a larger value is better



# Test Objective: Algorithm



Repeat flow for each suitability MOP





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#### Mean Time Between Critical Failure (MTBCF)

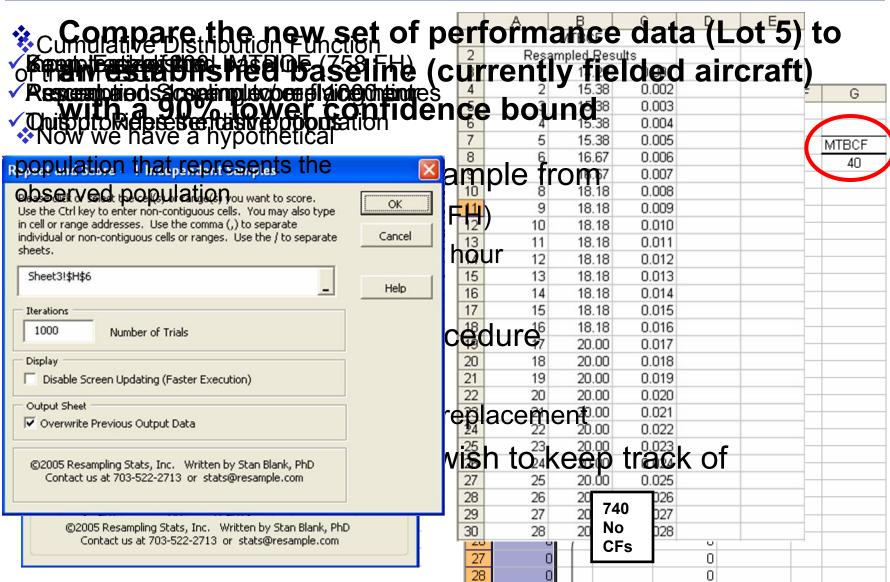
$$MTBCF = \frac{Total Flight Hours}{Number of Critical Failures}$$

- The suitability study for currently fielded aircraft recorded 18 critical failures (CF) during 758 hours of operation for a MTBCF of 42.11
- Create a representative population using 758 binary values
  - Assume 1 sample per flying hour
  - Assign a '1' to CFs (18 occurrences)
  - Assign a '0' to no CFs (740 occurrences)
- Use resampling to produce a 200 hour representative (hypothetical) population
- Construct a CDF of the 200 hour MTBCF
- Use the CDF of the 200 hour data to find the lower 90% confidence bound



#### Test Methodology: Test Model

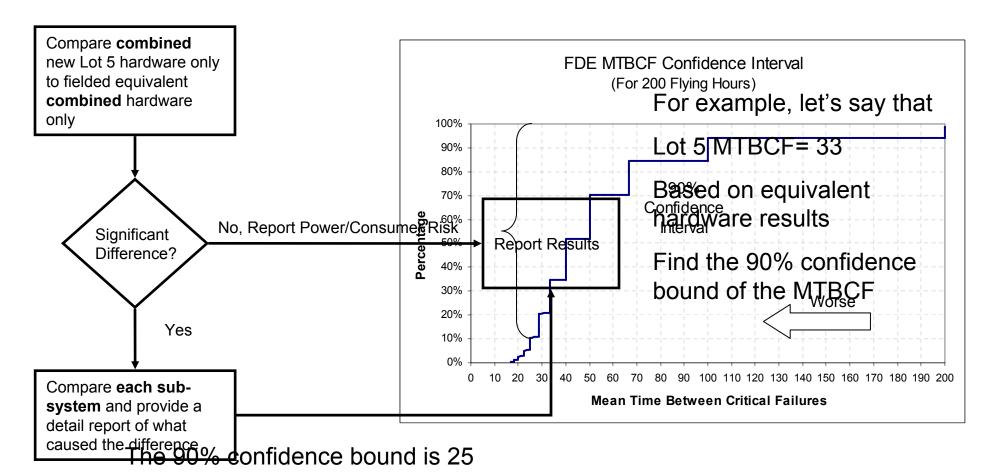






#### Test Methodology: Confidence Interval





33 is in the 90% of the data, therefore there is no significant difference between Lot 5 and the currently fielded hardware



# Test Methodology: MTBCF Power

- CDF constructed using resampling statistics
- Use resampled results to calculate power
- Power indicates the confidence level the test design provides to detect a particular level of increase in the MTBCF based on possible results

	Null hypothesis is True	Null hypothesis is false
Reject the null hypothesis	Type I error (rejecting a true null hypothesis) α	Correct decision
Fail to reject the null hypothesis	Correct decision	Type II error (failing to reject a false null hypothesis) β



### Test Methodology: Power (Classical Method)



- Classical method: theory based
- Resampling method: observation based
- An example to demonstrate the classical method
  - Measuring successes and failures, therefore use the binomial distribution
  - Probability Mass Function: PMF

The binomdist excel function provides the CDF/PMF of the binomial distribution

Function → BINOMDIST(# success, trials, probability of success, cumulative)

Number of success  $\rightarrow$  (Trials-CF)

Trials → Total Flight Hours

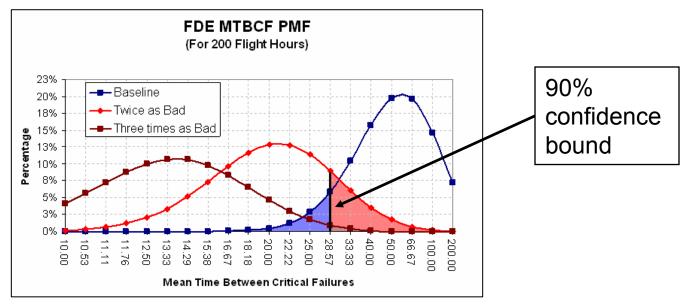
Probability → (Trials-CF)/Trials

Cumulative → TRUE provides the CDF; FALSE provides the PMF



### Test Methodology: Power (Classical Method)





- The PMF (blue) was generated based on the known baseline(758FH with 18 CFs)
- The red PMF Distribution is twice as bad as the main baseline
- The blue PMF Distribution is three times a bad as the main baseline
- ❖ Any results outside the 90% (lower than 28.57 MTBCF) will be considered significantly different.



## Test Methodology: MTBCF Power (Resampling)



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8	1				0					6	11.11	0.006			40	80.8%	93.3%	98.2%	99.8%		
9	1				0					7	11.11	0.007			33	66.7%	86.3%	95.9%	99.1%		
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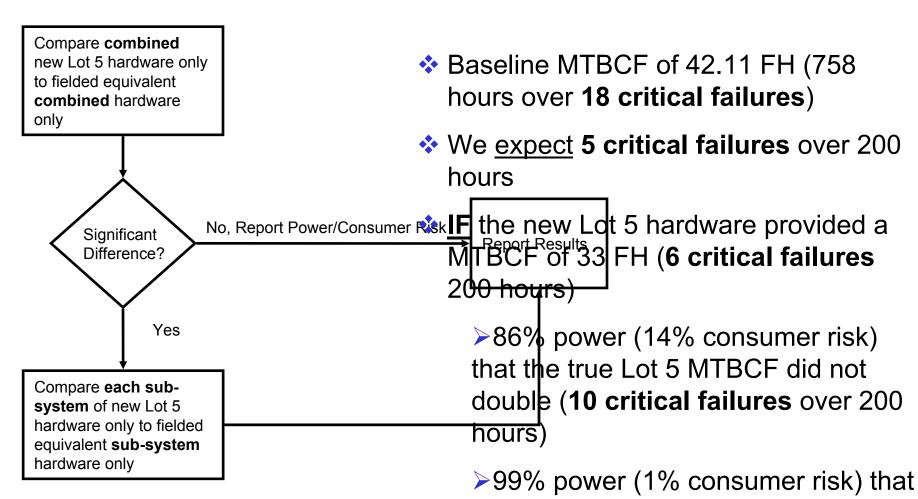


#### **Report Results**

the true Lot 5 MTBCF did not triple

(15 critical failures over 200 hours)









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- Resampling Statistics makes possible:
  - Construction of CDFs
  - Building Confidence Intervals
  - Calculating Power/Consumer Risk
- Resampling Statistics with F-22A Lot 5 suitability:
  - Facilitates comparison between large baseline sample size and small test sample size
  - Provides method to compute power
  - Evaluates data without knowledge of the distribution
  - Eliminates mathematical formulas and restrictive assumptions





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### **Questions?**



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